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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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For: FLAT PANEL DISPLAY DEVICE

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 5 of this paper.

Amendments to the Figures are on page 10 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments are on page 11 of this paper.

An Appendix contains the Replacement and Annotated Drawing sheets for Figures 4-6 and 10-

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